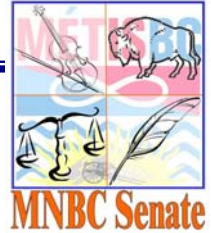


# Métis Nation British Columbia



**Senate Agenda**  
*Coast Bastion Inn*  
*11 Bastion Street, Nanaimo, BC*

## **Day 1 – July 31, 2008**

1. Call to Order at 10:00am
2. Opening Prayer
3. Review and Approval of Agenda
4. Development of Mediation and Dispute Resolution Policies and Procedures

## **Day 2 – August 02, 2008**

5. *Zawislak vs. MNBC Central Registry* – **10:00, succinct**
  - I. Senate Clerk appeal file review
  - II. Review MNBC existing policy and process on "Community Acceptance"
  - III. Review the *MNBC Constitution* and *Citizenship Act* (*Does the Senate have interpretation ability?*)  
**IF YES TO THE ABOVE POINT THEN PROCEED**
  - IV. Review Jean Teillet's documentation
  - V. Review other Governing Member's systems (MNA, MMF and MNO)
  - VI. Human Rights (Senate Legal Counsel, Mr. Nesbitt)
  - VII. Decision
6. *Knight vs. MNBC Central Registry* – **13:00, succinct**
  - I. Senate Clerk appeal file review
  - II. Apply above precedent
  - III. Decision
7. Establish a 2008-09 Meeting schedule for Senate business
8. Seal and Registration - Update
9. Format for the swearing-in ceremony of the new Board of Directors (AGM)
10. Review *Section 2.8C* of the Senate P&P
11. Propose a resolution for the 2008 MNGA on the three-strike rule
12. Future training for the Senate
13. Planning for the 2009-10 Fiscal Year (i.e. budget)
14. Review Senate P&P for completeness
15. Update on future case load
  - i) *Thorne vs. MNBC Central Registry* *in-docket*
  - ii) *Turmel vs. MNBC Central Registry* *in-progress*
  - iii) *Birch vs. MNBC Central Registry* *on-hold*

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